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For: A METHOD OF MODULATING MELANIN PRODUCTION

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Title:

A METHOD OF MODULATING MELANIN PRODUCTION

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Sir:

#### RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Total effective claims after amendment

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(at least 20) =x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add

\$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) Statement filed herewith

Applicant claims "small entity" status.

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee

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